READ THIS FIRST

We have designed your telephone to conform to federal regulations and you can connect it to most telephone lines. However, each device you connect to the phone line draws power from it. This power draw is the device's *Ringer Equivalence Number*, or REN. The REN is shown on the bottom of your phone.

If you are using more than one phone or other device on the line, add up all the RENs. If the total is more than five (or three in rural areas) your phones might not ring. If ringer operation is impaired, remove one of the devices from the line.

If your phone causes problems on the phone line, the telephone company can disconnect your service. The phone company tries to notify you in advance. If advance notice is not practical, the telephone company notifies you as soon as possible and advises you of your right to file a complaint with the FCC

The phone company can also make changes to its lines, equipment, operations, or procedures that could affect the phone's operation. The phone company notifies you in advance, so you can take the necessary steps to prevent interruption of your phone service.

FCC STATEMENT

Your telephone complies with Part 68 of *FCC Rules*. You must, upon request, provide the FCC registration number and the REN to your telephone company. These numbers are shown on the bottom of your phone.

Note: You must not connect your telephone to:

- Coin-operated systems
- Party-line systems
- Most electronic key phone systems

CARE

- Keep the phone dry.
- Handle the phone carefully. Do not drop it.
- Do not use or store the phone in temperature extremes.
- Keep the phone away from dust and dirt.
- Do not modify or tamper with the phone's internal components. Doing so might invalidate the phone's warranty and void your FCC authorization to operate it. If the phone is not operating as it should, take it to your local Radio Shack store for assistance. If the trouble is harming the phone lines, the phone company might ask you to disconnect the telephone until you fix the problem.

RADIO SHACK LIMITED WARRANTY

This telephone product is warranted against manufacturing defects in material and workmanship for one (1) year from the date of purchase from Radio Shack company owned stores and authorized Radio Shack franchisees and dealers. Within this period **bring your Radio Shack sales slip** as proof-of-purchase date to any Radio Shack store.

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This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

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- **20-Number Memory**
- **Redial**
- **Flash**
- **Hearing-Aid Compatible**

Owner's Manual

Cat. No. 43-588A/9A

MOUNTING THE PHONE

Desk Mounting

Wall Mounting (With Wall Plate)

Modular Telephone Jack

Short Line Cord (Not Supplied)

Wall Mounting (Without Wall Plate)

Handset Holder (Wall Mounting)

1. Pull out.
2. Rotate 180°.

Note: The phone company can charge you for the installation of the necessary jacks. The USOC number of the jacks to be installed is RJ11C (RJ11W for a wall jack).

CAUTION

RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK
DO NOT OPEN

This symbol is intended to alert you that parts inside the telephone present a risk of electric shock.

This symbol is intended to alert you to important operating and servicing instructions included in the papers with the telephone.

USING THE PHONE

Switch to **TONE** or **PULSE** to match the type of service you have. If you have pulse (rotary) service, you can switch to **TONE** during a call to use tone services.

Press for special services.

Press **STORE** once to enter the telephone number you wish to store. See “Storing/Dialing Numbers in Memory.”

Press **PAUSE** to enter a pause for systems that require an access code (9, for example) before you can dial an outside number.

Press **MEMORY** once to enter the two-digit location (01-20) for the number you want to store or to dial the number in memory. See “Storing/Dialing Numbers in Memory.”

Plug the handset cord into the jacks on the handset and base.

Use the memory index card to record important phone numbers.

Press to disconnect a call.

Set the ringer to sound or not. You can make and receive calls with the ringer off.

Press **FLASH** in place of the switchook for special services such as call waiting.

Press **RESET** to end a call without returning the handset to the cradle.

Press **REDIAL** to dial the last number dialed (up to 31 tone or 32 pulse digits).

STORING/DIALING NUMBERS IN MEMORY

To store a number in memory:

1. Lift the handset.
2. Press **STORE.**
3. Enter the telephone number you want to store.

   Note: A pause entry counts as 1 digit.
4. Press **MEMORY** once.
5. Enter the 2-digit number (01–20) for the location where you want to store the number.
6. Repeat Steps 3–5 to store additional numbers. Return the handset to the cradle when you finish storing numbers.

To dial a number in memory:

1. Lift the handset.
2. Press **MEMORY.**
3. Enter the two-digit location number for the number you want to call.

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